

Senate Resolution 442

By: Senators Jackson of the 2nd and Sims of the 12th

A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring and celebrating the 100th birthday of Mrs. Maggie Houston Baker; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Maggie Houston Baker was born on September 9, 1908, and this past year
4 she enjoyed the special distinction of celebrating her 100th birthday; and

5 WHEREAS, she is a proud and shining example of enduring love and affection and has seen
6 her family grow and flourish over a span of descending generations; and

7 WHEREAS, her following of the golden rule, as she says, "treat people as you would want
8 them to treat you" and her motto of "always do good for others" have garnered her a special
9 place in many people's lives; and

10 WHEREAS, the devotion, patience, and understanding she has demonstrated have provided
11 the foundation and framework of success in which all who know her have developed and
12 flourished; and

13 WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Mrs. Baker is an active and long-time
14 member of Central Baptist Church in Savannah, Georgia; and

15 WHEREAS, this distinguished gentlewoman has given inspiration to many through her high
16 ideals, morals, and deep concern for her fellow citizens and she possesses the vast wisdom
17 which only comes through experience and the strength of character which is achieved
18 through overcoming the many challenges of life; and

19 WHEREAS, she is a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable reputation for
20 integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example she has made of her life,
21 she makes this world a better place in which to live, and it is only fitting and proper that she
22 be appropriately recognized during this very special and memorable time of her life.

23 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
24 join in commending Mrs. Maggie Houston Baker on the occasion of her 100th birthday and
25 wishing her many more years of happiness.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
27 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Maggie Houston Baker.